IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

David D. GOODMAN

Group Art Unit:

2644

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Serial Number:

10/053,351

Examiner:

Ramnandan P. SINGH

Filing Date:

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For:

TWISTED PAIR COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST TO EXCUSE FAILURE TO NOTIFY OFFICE OF LOSS OF STATUS AS SMALL ENTITY (37 C.F.R. § 1.28(c))

Sir:

Applicant initially established small entity status, in good faith, on September 13, 2002, thereafter paid a number of small entity fees, including the fees for this continuation application. Applicant recently discovered, however, that the assignee of the application had lost its entitlement to small entity status before the filing date of this continuation application and that, through error, applicant had failed to notify the Office of that change in status. Accordingly, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(g)(2), applicant hereby notifies the Office that the assignee of the captioned application is no longer entitled to small entity status.

Further, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(c), applicant hereby requests excusal of the delay in notifying the Office of loss of entitlement to small entity status and payment of small entity fees in error. The itemization required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(c) is as follows:

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Itemization of the total deficiency payment for serial number 10/053,351								
When the small entity fee was paid	Particular type of fee that was erroneously paid as a small entity	The small entity fee actually paid	Current fee amount (for other than a small entity) on the date the deficiency is paid in full	Deficiency owed amount				
9/13/2002	Basic filing fee - Utility	370	300	-70				
n\a	Search Fee	0	500	500				
n\a	Examination Fee	0	200	200				
9/13/2002	Surcharge for filing the basic filing fee and/or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application	65	130	65				
9/13/2002	5-month EOT	980	2160	1180				
9/13/2002	Total claims in excess on 20 (15)	135	750	615				
9/16/2002	Total claims in excess on 20 (24)	216	1200	984				
9/16/2002	Total independent claims in excess on 3 (1)	42	200	158				
	Total Fee Deficiency			3632				

A check for \$3632.00 for payment of the total deficiency is submitted herewith.

If there are any deficiencies in the above calculation, or if there are any additional fees associated with or required by this request, then please charge them to Deposit Account No. 50-3869.

Date: <u>August 1, 2006</u>

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COMBINED FEE TRANSMITTAL							Complete if Known						
						Application Number 10/053,351							
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1.35 E/							First Named Inventor David D. GOODMAN						
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27					Examiner Name Ramnandan P. SINGH								
						Art Unit 2646							
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT \$ 3632.00					Attorney Docket No. 1001-004								
		METH	OD OF PA	YMENT (heck one)			FEE CALCULATION (continued)					
☑ Check ☐ Credit card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other ☐ None ☐ Deposit Account ☐ Other ☐ None						4. PETITION FEES UNDER 37 CFR 1.17 (f) Fee Code: 1462 Fee \$ 400 For petitions filed under: § 1.53(e); § 1.57(a); § 1.182; § 1.183; § 1.378(e); § 1.741(b)					Fee Paid		
Deposit Account Number: 50-3869						5. PETITION FEES UNDER 37 CFR 1.17 (g) Fee Paid							
Deposit Account Name: Hansen Huang Technology Law Group LLP						Fee Code: 1463							
The Comm	nissione	r is authori	zed to: (ch	eck all that e	apply)			6. PETITION FEES UNDER 37 CFR 1.17 (h) Fee Paid					
☐ Charge	fee(s) in	ndicated belo	ow						Fee Code: 1464 Fee \$ 130 For petitions filed under: § 1.19(g); § 1.84; § 1.91; § 1.102(d); § 1.138(c); § 1.313; § 1.314				
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Applicati on Type	Entity Fee	Small Entity	Entity Fee	Small Entity	Entity Fee	Small Entity	Fees Paid (\$)	50	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet			
	(\$)	Fee (\$)	(\$)	Fee (\$)	(\$)	Fee (\$)		130	130	Non-English specification			
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100		2,520	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination			
Design	200	100	100	50	135	65		920*	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action			
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80		1,840*	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action			
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300		120	60	Extension for reply within first month			
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0		450	225	Extension for reply within second month			
				SUBTOTA	L (1)			1,020	510	Extension for reply within third month			
2. EXTRA	CLAI	M FEES						1,590	795	Extension for reply within fourth month			
Entity Fee (\$)	Small	Entity Fee (\$,		Fee Descri	ption		2,160	1,080	Extension for reply within fifth month			
50		25				or Reissues, on the original		500	250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
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360		180				t already paid		1,510	1,510	1.129(a)) Petition t	o institute a public	use proceeding	
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Multiple Dependent 360 =							1,000	500	-	Request for oral hearing			
SUBTOTAL (2) \$0							790	395	1.129(b)		on to be examined (37 CFR		
3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE						790	395		for Continued Exam		:		
If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof (round up to the a						900	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application					
whole number). See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s) Number of Small						Other fee	(specify)	ree De	liciency Payme	ent (see attached letter)	3632		
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Signature	Signature Date August 1, 2006 Customer No. 61,275												

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AUG 0 3 2006 Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Under the Paperwork Reduction Act & d to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. LA PRADEMA Application Number 10/053,351 TRANSMITTAL Filing Date January 15, 2002 **FORM** David D. GOODMAN Inventor (to be used for all correspondence after initial filing) Art Unit. Ramnandan P. SINGH **Examiner Name** Confirmation No. 9860 Attorney Docket No 1001-004 **ENCLOSURES** (Check all that apply) ☐ Drawing(s) ☐ After Allowance communication to □ Fee Transmittal Form Group Licensing-related Papers Appeal Communication to Board of ☐ Petition Appeals and Interferences ☐ Amendment/Response Petition to Convert to a Provisional Appeal Communication to Group Application ☐ After Final (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) Power of Attorney, Revocation ☐ Proprietary Information ☐ Affidavits/declaration(s) Change of Correspondence Status Letter Address Extension of Time Request ☐ Terminal Disclaimer Other Enclosure(s), please identify □ Express Abandonment Request below): Request for Refund ☐ Information Disclosure Statement Request to Excuse Failure to Notify CD, Number of CD(s) Office of Loss of Status as Small Entity Certified Copy of Priority Issue Fees Transmittal Part B Document(s) Remarks Response to Missing Parts/ This submission includes payment of the issue fees along with the Issue Fees Incomplete Application Transmittal Part B, and submission of a Request to Excuse Failure to Notify Office of Loss of Status as Small Entity along with a check for the deficient fee amount. ☐ Response to Missing Parts under 37 (CFR) 1.52 or 1.53 SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT Robert M. Hansen, Reg. No. 43,656 Firm or Individual Name Signature Date August 1, 2006 Customer No. 61275 CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below. Robert M. Hansen, Reg. No. 43,656 Typed or printed name

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